

The Lord’s Day – June 22, 2025
Morning Worship - 9:30 A.M.
Led by: Pastor Leroy Christoffels

Welcome

Silent Prayer

*Call to Worship: Psalm 103:1-5

*God’s Greeting

*Opening Songs of Adoration: #504 *“Holy God, We Praise Your Name”*

Standard of Righteousness: Ephesians 5:15-21

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon: Ephesians 2:8

*Song of Thanksgiving: #23 *“The Lord, My Shepherd, Rules My Life”*

(NO CHILDREN’S WORSHIP TODAY)

Scripture Reading: Ezekiel 37:1-14

Sermon: “THE VALLY OF DRY BONES”

Hymn of Response: 416:1-3 *“For Your Gift of God the Spirit”*

The Lord’s Supper – Form, p. 979

Prayer of the Lord’s People

Offering: Benevolence

Offertory

Offertory Hymn 297:1-4 *“O Come, My Soul, Sing Praise to God”*

*Benediction

*Parting Song: #297:5 *“O Come, My Soul, Sing Praise to God”*

Next Sunday's Offering: Christian Education

The Lord’s Day – June 22, 2025
Evening Worship – 6:30 P.M.
Led by: Pastor Stephen Wynja

Introit: *“Christ the Lord is Risen Today”* – JD Vos

Welcome & Announcements

Silent Prayer

Expression of Dependence: Psalm 121:1-2

*God’s Greeting

*Opening Song of Praise: #428 *“O Worship the King”*

Congregational Prayer

Bible Reading: Psalm 104:24-35

*Song of Thanksgiving: #453 *“Let All Things Now Living”*

Scripture: Ruth 1:1-17; 4:9-22

Sermon: The book of Ruth: The Redeemer

*Song of Response: #479 *“I Will Sing of My Redeemer”*

Prayer for the Offering

Offering: Benevolence

*Confession of Faith: The Apostles’ Creed

*Benediction

*Doxology: #320 *“Lord, Dismiss Us With Your Blessing”*

SERMON NOTES – June 22, 2025

“THE VALLY OF DRY BONES”
Ezekiel 37:1-14

The book of Ruth: “The Redeemer”
Ruth 1:1-17; 4:9-22

REFORMATION MATTERS: "I find Christ the most steadable friend and companion in the world to me now: the need and usefulness of Christ is seen best in trials. O, if he be not well worthy of his room! Lodge him in house and heart." - Samuel Rutherford, in *"The Loveliness of Christ"*

THIS WEEK’S OPPORTUNITIES:

Today 9:30 am - Morning Worship
 6:30 pm - Evening Worship

FUTURE OPPORTUNITIES:

June 29: Sos & Kara Maletoungou presentation

SWC CALENDAR NEWS:

July 11-12 SWC Food Stand at the Edgerton Dutch Festival
Aug 21: First Day of School for the 2025-2026 school year

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

We express our sympathies and prayers for Curt and Kathy Walhof, and their extended family, over the recent death of Kathy’s sister, Linda Bork, of Rapid City. May the Good Shepherd draw near as a tender and gracious companion to the family at this time.

Our church potluck dinner will be on Sunday, June 29 at 11:30 in the fellowship hall. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy a meal together with fellow church members and friends. Please see insert in your mailbox for more details.

Please join us next week, June 29, to hear an update from our missionaries Sos & Kara Maletoungou. They will be giving a presentation during the potluck about their work in West Africa.

Royal Family Kids Camp 2025 is in the books and what a week we had with 37 amazing campers, our most ever. It was truly a joy to serve with 125 volunteers from 27 different churches, all with the same mission – to make moments that matter and bring Jesus’ love and hope to these kids. Words cannot begin to express our gratitude to this community for your generosity. Thank you so very much for your outpouring of monetary gifts, donations of all kinds, food, encouragement and most of all for your prayers. It takes a huge team to make this mission a success and we have YOU to thank for that! We are humbled by your gifts and appreciate your generous spirit for these kids and the mission of RFK. Thank you! SWMN Royal Family Kids Camp Team

Plans are forming for the next Church Pantry Shower. We do not want to miss any brides/grooms, so if you have a son or daughter getting married this year, or who was married this past year and was not included in the last Pantry Shower, please contact Dana Huisken.

Looking for a faithful way to serve our church? Our dedicated work group coordinators, Karen Fey and Gloria Roemeling, are stepping back from their roles and would love the opportunity to train the next coordinators. We deeply thank them for their commitment and contributions. We are now looking for new coordinators to step into these roles. If interested, please contact Karen or Gloria for more information.

In search of: Nursery Volunteers! If you are willing to help out (male or female, young or old) in the nursery, please let me know. With several new/expectant mothers, we are running a little short on help. If you are willing to help, please talk to me as soon as possible so that I can get you added to the schedule. Thanks! Kim

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

First CRC Family, the Dutch Festival Food Stand says a big 'Thank You!' to those who gave graciously to help us get the food stand going this year. Thanks so much for your ongoing support of SWC Schools.

KINGDOM KIDS PRESCHOOL at Southwest MN Christian Schools is open for enrollment for the 2025-2026 school year and we couldn't be more excited! What a wonderful opportunity for your child to explore and discover God's world! Registration forms can be picked up at the elementary campus office at 210 Elizabeth St W, Edgerton, or downloaded at our school website, swcschools.org. For more information, call the office at 507-442-6181 or email us at elementary@swcschools.org. If you'd like to tour the school or would like to check out the Preschool area, we'd welcome you to do that as well!

COMMUNITY & MISC

Word & Deed has a special issue of its magazine that is now out, which is filled with devotionals written by Word & Deed partners from 13 different countries. Each of the mediations gives a brief cultural context of our partner. We hope that you will be inspired, as we were, when you read not only about the trials that our Christian brothers and sisters are living through, but that you will also be inspired by the faithfulness and provision of our caring Father. When you are done with this magazine, please pass it on to someone who doesn't receive it.

Edgebrook is looking for Country Store donations for the residents. The Country Store is used as an alternative for bingo candy. Listed are some ideas as to what can be donated: Lip balm, hand lotion (scented or unscented), slippers, non-skid socks, puzzle books (word search, crossword, Sudoku, large print), adult coloring books/colored pencils, playing cards/card games, calendars, notepads/pens and pretty Kleenex boxes.

You're invited to **Mid-America Reformed Seminary's annual Center for Missions and Evangelism Conference** on October 3-4, 2025! This year's theme is *Gossiping the Gospel: Everyday Evangelism*, featuring pastors, church planters, and faculty from the Seminary. Come be encouraged and equipped, and register today at: midamerica.edu/cme/conference

MEMBERS IN SERVICE

TODAY- JUNE 15:

Nursery: **AM** – Kinley S, Kambrie S, Jaycee K, Raelyn S, Lily M
PM- Nicole V, AnnMarie B, Kaden S, Levi VH

Valet: Ryan V
Ushers: Rod C, Steve E, Tyson B, Bob S
Sound: AM – Devin S PM – Devin S
Video: Kaden S
Projection: Kirk/Justin
Medical Assistant: Nick S
Children's Worship: No Lesson - Communion

NEXT WEEK- JUNE 29:

Nursery: **AM** – Nick & Shawna S, Karen F, Izzy M, Blaire T
PM- Carrie T, Ruth C, Mara B, Shelbi K

Valet: Dale M
Ushers: Rod C, Steve E, Tyson B, Bob S
Sound: AM – Jeff S PM –Jeff S
Video: Jacob M
Projection: Orey/Jody
Medical Assistant: Brenda K
Children's Worship: Mindy B & Raelyn S
Praise Team: Sarah, Haley, Jon, Greg
Keyboard: Brittany

MISSIONARIES

Margaret Njuguna En-Gedi Children's Home, Kenya	Sos and Kara Maletougou Christian Reformed World Missions West Africa	Rev. William & Aletha Green Latin Amer. Fellowship of Reformed Churches, Costa Rica
	A&K L. Global Serve International South East Asia	

CHURCH INFORMATION